

3. (amended) The composition according to Claim 1 comprising a combination of ritonavir and (2S,3S,5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylphenoxyacetyl)-amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydropyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl-butanoyl)amino-1,6-diphenylhexane.

4. (amended) The composition according to Claim 1 comprising ritonavir or a combination of ritonavir and another HIV protease inhibiting compound selected from the group consisting of:

(2S,3S,5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylphenoxyacetyl)-amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydropyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl-butanoyl)amino-1,6-diphenylhexane;

indinavir;

saquinavir;

5(S)-Boc-amino-4(S)-hydroxy-6-phenyl-2(R)-phenylmethylhexanoyl-(L)-Val-(L)-Phe-morpholin-4-ylamide;

1 -Naphthoxyacetyl-beta-methylthio-Ala-(2S, 3S)- 3-amino-2-hydroxy-4-butanoyl

1,3-thiazolidine-4-t-butylamide;

5-isoquinolinoxyacetyl-beta-methylthio-Ala-(2S,3S)-3-amino-2-hydroxy-4-butanoyl-1,3-thiazolidine-4-t-butylamide;

[1S-[1R-(R-),2S\*])-N<sup>I</sup> [3-[[[(1,1 -dimethylethyl)amino]carbonyl](2-methylpropyl)amino]-2-hydroxy-1 -(phenylmethyl)propyl]-2-[(2quinolinylcarbonyl)amino]-butanediamide;

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nelfinavir;

tipranavir;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 5. (amended) The composition according to Claim 1 wherein said fatty acid is oleic acid.
- 6. (amended) The composition according to Claim 1 wherein said surfactant is polyoxyl 35 castor oil.

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10. (amended) The composition of Claim 9 comprising ritonavir or a combination of ritonavir and another HIV protease inhibiting compound selected from the group consisting of:

(2S, 3S, 5S)-2-(2,6Dimethylphenoxyacetyl)amino-3-hydroxy-5-[2S-(1-tetrahydro-pyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl butanoyl]-amino-1,6-diphenylhexane;

indinavir;

saquinavir;

5(S)-Boc-amino-4(S)-hydroxy-6-phenyl-2(R)-phenylmethylhexanoyl-(L)-Val-(L)-Phe-morpholin-4-ylamide;

- 1 -Naphthoxyacetyl-beta-methylthio-Ala-(2S, 3S)- 3-amino-2-hydroxy-4-butanoyl
- 1,3-thiazolidine-4-t-butylamide;
- 5-isoquinolinoxyacetyl-beta-methylthio-Ala-(2S,3S)-3-amino-2-hydroxy-4-butanoyl-1,3-thiazolidine-4-t-butylamide;
- [1S-[1R-(R-),2S\*])-N<sup>1</sup> [3-[[(1,1 -dimethylethyl)amino]carbonyl](2-methylpropyl)amino]-2-

hydroxy-1 -(phenylmethyl)propyl]-2-[(2quinolinylcarbonyl)amino]-butanediamide;

nelfinavir;

tipranavir:

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

11. (amended) The composition of Claim 9 comprising ritonavir or a combination of ritonavir and another HIV protease inhibiting compound selected from the group consisting of: (2S, 3S, 5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylphenoxyacetyl) amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydro-pyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl-butanoyl)-amino-1,6-diphenylhexane, indinavir, saquinavir, nelfinavir,

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and tipranavir; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

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- 14. (amended) The composition of Claim 1 which comprises:
- (a) solubilized ritonavir in the amount of from about 1% to about 30% by weight of the total solution;
- (b) a pharmaceutically acceptable organic solvent which comprises (i) oleic acid in the amount of from about 30% to about 75% by weight of the total solution and (2) ethanol in the amount of from about 3% to about 12% by weight of the total solution; and
- (c) water in the amount of from about 0.4% to about 3.5% by weight of the total solution; and
- (d) polyoxyl 35 castor oil in the amount of from about 0% to about 20% by weight of the total solution.
  - 15. (amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising:
    - (a) ritonavir in the amount of about 10% by weight of the total solution,
- (b) a pharmaceutically acceptable organic solvent which comprises (1) oleic acid in the amount of from about 70% to about 75% by weight of the total solution; and (2) ethanol in the amount of from about 3% about 12% by weight of the total solution;
- (c) water in the amount of from about 0.4% to about 1.5% by weight of the total solution; and
- (d) polyoxyl 35 castor oil in the amount of about 6% by weight of the total solution.



(a) a combination of ritonavir and (2S, 3S, 5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylphenoxyacetyl) amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydro-pyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl butanoyl)-amino-1,6-diphenylhexane in the amount of from about 1% to about 45% by weight of the total solution;

(b) a pharmaceutically acceptable organic solvent which comprises (i) oleic acid in the amount of from about 30% to about 75% by weight of the total solution and (2) propylene glycol in the amount of from about 1% to about 15% by weight of the total solution; and

(c) water in the amount of from about 0.4% to about 3.5% by weight of the total solution.

- 18. (amended) The composition of Claim 17 which comprises:
  - (a) a combination of ritonavir and (2S, 3S,

5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylphenoxyacetyl) amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydro-pyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl butanoyl) amino-1,6-diphenylhexane in the amount of from about 1% to about 45% by weight of the total solution,

- (b) a pharmaceutically acceptable organic solvent which comprises (1) oleic acid in the amount of from about 70% to about 75% by weight of the total solution; and (2) propylene glycol in the amount of from about 1% about 8% by weight of the total solution;
  - (c) water in the amount of from about 0.4% to about 1.5% by weight of the total solution; and
  - (d) polyoxyl 35 castor oil in the amount of from about 2.5% to about 10% by weight of the total solution.



## Please add the following new claims:

- 20. (new) (amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising:
- (a) a combination of solubilized ritonavir in the amount of about 3.9% by weight of the total solution and (2S, 3S, 5S)-2-(2,6-dimethylph enoxyacetyl) amino-3-hydroxy-5-(2S-(1-tetrahydro-pyrimid-2-onyl)-3-methyl butanoyl) amino-1,6-diphenylhexane in the amount of about 15.6% by weight of the total solution,
- (b) a pharmaceutically acceptable organic solvent which comprises (1) oleic acid in the amount of about 70% by weight of the total solution; and (2) propylene glycol in the amount of about 7.5% by weight of the total solution;
  - (c) water in the amount of about 0.5% by weight of the total solution; and
- (d) polyoxyl 35 castor oil in the amount of about 2.5% by weight of the total solution.
- 21. (new) The composition of Claim 20 wherein the solution is encapsulated in a soft elastic gelatin capsule (SEC).

